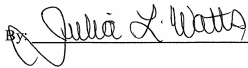


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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed July 6, 2007, submitted herewith is a revised Brief which addresses each of the deficiencies noted in the Notice of Non-Compliance. In particular, the Brief has been revised to contain a concise explanation of the subject matter defined in the independent Claim 41 and refers to the page and line number of the specification with respect thereto. Additionally, a correct copy of the Appealed claims is attached as a Claims Appendix. Also attached as an Evidence Appendix is a copy of all evidence submitted during the prosecution of the application along with the Information Disclosure Statements listing of the references submitted indicating the Examiner's entry of these documents.

Finally, attached is a Related Proceedings Appendix indicating that there are no related proceedings.

Accordingly, entry of this revised Appeal Brief and Response to the Notice of Non-Compliance are respectfully requested.

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